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According to the requirement set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.98 and MPEP 609, the applicant is submitting a copy of Chinese patent publication CN 1383623A (published on December 04, 2002). In accordance with MPEP 609 III A(2), an English-language equivalent application may be submitted to fulfill the requirement for a concise explanation of relevance. Accordingly, the English-language equivalent US patent publication No. 20020009129 of the Chinese patent publication CN 1383623A is also listed on PTO/SB/08 to fulfill the 37 CFR §1.98(a)(3) requirement. 10

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